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ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.
SPRINGFIELD, ILL., January 11.—The senate met at 10 a.m.

The governor nominated E. B. Worthington, member of the state board of education, vice Mr. Taggart, resigned, which was confirmed.

Mr. Munn offered a resolution that the committee on state institutions inquire into the expediency of passing a law requiring counties to pay the expenses of patients in the insane hospital.

Mr. Woodson offered a resolution that a joint committee be appointed to canvass the vote on a constitutional convention, and inquire into the power of the house to pass a law calling such convention until the vote was canvassed.

At twelve o'clock the senate met the house in joint session, and after returning to their chamber, ex-lieutenant-governor Bross delivered a brief address on resigning his official connection with the senate, and introduced the hon. John Dougherty, the lieutenant-governor of the state, who had just been inaugurated.

Lieutenant-governor Dougherty made a few appropriate remarks on assuming the chair.

On motion of Mr. Foot, the remarks of the retiring and incoming speakers were spread on the minutes.

HOUSE.

The house met at ten o'clock.
The bill to protect cheese and butter manufacturers from bad milk was returned with favorable report.

Mr. Miller, of Cook, offered a resolution directing the committee on judiciary to inquire whether further legislation is necessary to secure married women in the possession of their own property, which was adopted.

Mr. Bothwell offered a resolution providing for the special joint committee to examine into the Texas cattle matter and report what legislation is necessary. Referred to the committee on agriculture.

Bills were introduced:
To repeal the act for registration of electors and to prevent fraud and fraudulent voting.

To provide for the appointment by the governor of three committees, one from each grand division, to revise the state laws and make a printed report, and an appropriation of \$3000 therefor.

To regulate the competency of witnesses in civil cases.

To regulate the coroner's fees.

Bill providing that when a person pleads guilty of a charge punishable by death, it shall be the duty of the court to sentence him to imprisonment for life, or not less than fourteen years.

Bill in relation to the support of paupers in counties having township organizations.

Bill providing that when any ground has been dedicated for use as a street in any city, but such use has been given up, the property shall be vested in persons owning adjoining lands.

At a quarter past twelve o'clock, the senate and elect and retiring state officers entered.

The oath was then administered to governor Palmer by the chief justice.

The governor then delivered his inaugural address, which was, at many points, loudly applauded.

The senate then retired, and the house adjourned until to-morrow evening.

Grant and Senatorial Candidates.
In answer to a letter from Wisconsin, stating that friends of hon. Matt Carpenter are claiming that gen. Grant has expressed himself as very anxious that Mr. Carpenter should be elected Senator, the general has directed gen. Badeau to write that there is no authority for this statement. He regards all the candidates as his friends, and will take no part in favor of any particular one, and has no desire to interfere in a matter which belongs to the Legislature alone. The general has also caused a letter to be written to a friend in Missouri, denying in strong terms that he has ever spoken in disparagement of the character and services of gen. Schurz.

Mrs. Grant, it is reported, proposes not to make her home in the White House, but rather to remain in her present residence, which is a home entirely to her taste and wishes. She will go to the White House on state occasions, etc., but for all other purposes the executive mansion will probably become a mere office for the president. Gen. Grant's house, by the way, is worth at least \$50,000. He has, besides, a farm of thirty-eight acres, worth \$2,000 per acre, within the city limits. His real estate at St. Louis, Galena and Philadelphia is worth \$100,000 more; and \$300,000 is said to be a fair estimate of his total valuation. He is also interested in business through other parties, and, altogether, is in a fair way to have a comfortable living.

SMALL POX.

Proclamation by the Mayor Pro Tempore.

WHEREAS, It having come to the knowledge of the authorities that the small pox has made its appearance in our midst, the attention of citizens is called to the following sections of the revised ordinances of the city of Cairo:

SECTION 295. All persons in the vicinity of Cairo having the small pox, varioloid, or other contagious or infectious disease, are hereby required to keep closely confined in their respective dwellings or places of abode; and if any person shall leave his or her dwelling or place of abode, and be found going around the city after the small pox or varioloid eruption has made its appearance upon him or her, he or she shall forfeit and pay to the city a sum not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Sec. 299. The city marshal, upon due information of any infectious or contagious disease existing, shall cause suitable notices, with the character of the disease printed or written in large letters thereon, to be posted up in two conspicuous places, near the building or place in which such contagious or infectious disease exists, and have such notices kept up during the prevalence of such disease; and for failing to comply with the requirements of this section, he shall be liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars nor less than ten dollars.

Sec. 301. It shall be the duty of the proprietor or occupant of any house in which small pox or other infectious disease shall make its appearance, immediately to give notice to the mayor or city marshal of the same; and upon failure to do so, he shall be liable to a fine of not less than twenty-five, nor more than one hundred dollars.

Sec. 302. Any practicing physician who shall have any patient within the city of Cairo, laboring under any contagious, infectious or pestilential disease, shall forthwith make report thereof to the mayor or city marshal, describing the locality of the patient, so that he or she may be easily found; and upon a failure to do so, said physician shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars.

Now, therefore, proclamation is hereby made that the above quoted provisions of the ordinances will be rigidly enforced, and citizens must govern themselves accordingly.

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